



## Barbecue Safety

- Before using a grill, check the connection between the propane tank and the fuel line. Make sure the plastic O-ring fits properly in place. Make sure the venturi tubes - where the air and gas mix - are not blocked.
- Do not overfill the propane tank. Do not refill tanks that are rusted or dented.
- Do not wear loose clothing while cooking at a barbecue.
- Be careful when using lighter fluid. Do not add fluid to an already lit fire because the flame can flashback up into the container and cause serious injuries.
- Keep all matches and lighters away from children. Teach your children to report any loose matches or lighters to an adult immediately. Supervise children around outdoor grills. Do not allow rough horse play.
- Dispose of hot coals properly - douse them with plenty of water, and stir them to ensure that the fire is out. Never place them in plastic, paper or wooden containers. NEVER leave them on decks, in garages or near dry vegetation.
- Never grill/barbecue in enclosed areas - carbon monoxide could be produced. Never grill adjacent to open windows or door. Smoke and vapors can enter the house.
- Make sure everyone knows to Stop, Drop and Roll in case a piece of clothing does catch fire. Call 911 if a burn warrants serious medical attention.